

The People's Column

Dr. Dutton's address to our high school students this morning was most appropriate. All who were present seemed deeply moved by the message as Dr. Dutton portrayed before us the sufferings mother endures for the children, and showed how every member of the family may contribute his share in making family life and the home more ideal. Our boys and girls have tender consciences, and the effect of this lecture will not be merely a momentary feeling. Even those who try to do so will be unable to shake off entirely the power of such a message. Dr. Dutton has a warm and sympathetic heart. He believes in God, and he believes that God has great things in store for man, both in this life and in the life to come.

Evidently only a small per cent of our citizens are aware of the treat being offered to them thru this series of lectures. Dr. Dutton steers clear of the controversial field. But if he says some things which you do not accept fully, lectures as a whole are calculated to inspire to better citizenship, cleaner thinking and living, a keener sense of gratitude, and unselfishness.

Dr. Dutton speaks about five times a day, and his lectures are being given to the students of A. & M. College, our high school and the ward schools of our city, as well as to meetings of other organizations and clubs. The night services are being held in the First Baptist church auditorium.

Chas. A. Buchanan, minister.

ABOUT BRYAN

Mrs. Tyler Haswell left this afternoon for Houston and tomorrow will go over to Timpson to attend the meeting of the Fourth District convention, T. F. W. C., representing the Bryan Woman's Club. Mrs. Haswell expects to be out of Bryan about one week.

Miss Burnelle Hall of Silsby, Miss Joyce Myers of San Antonio, Miss Martha McCurdy of state university at Austin, will be the guests of Miss Pauline McCulloch at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. McCulloch for the week-end festivities at A. & M. College.

Dr. and Mrs. Algie Benbow and children of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Seale of Benbow moved to Beaumont yesterday where they will spend the week as guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Leach. Dr. Benbow will attend the meeting of the State Dental convention being held in Beaumont this week.

Miss Julia Ball, a student at Texas University, Austin, arrived this afternoon to spend the week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. M. Ball at College Station. She was accompanied by Miss Marjorie Anson of Roswell, New Mexico; Miss Mary Edson, Beaumont; and Miss Grace Hill, Denver, Colorado, who will be guests in the Ball home for the R. V. festivities over the week-end. Miss Ball's guests are all students at the university.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dansby have returned from their wedding trip and are at home to their many friends in Bryan.

Bryan's Airport On Mailing Lists But That's All

Letters to the manager of the Bryan airport are becoming more or less common in the mail that comes to the office of the city commission, regardless of the fact that Bryan has not even given serious consideration to the establishment of an airport, although it is almost alone among Texas cities of its size in this respect.

This morning a letter was received from Col. Ike Ashburn, secretary and general manager of the Houston Chamber of Commerce, enclosing a copy of the new Texas law regulating airports which is almost identical with the regulations of the United States department of commerce, making for greater safety in aviation in Texas.

The letter was filed by a city employee with the remark that we had nothing to worry about, so far as safety arrangements at "our airport" is concerned.

WEATHER

NEW ORLEANS, April 17.—For Bryan and vicinity: Mostly fair tonight and Thursday, not much change in temperature. East and West Texas—Tonight and Thursday fair.

High Court Affirms Three Death Sentences

QUEEN VISITS SCENE OF BIG A-M PAGEANT

Groveton Girl Plans To Play Regal Role

CONFER WITH VOSPER

Big Delegation Will Support Local Beauty

(Special to The Eagle)

COLLEGE STATION, April 17.—Accompanied by her mother, Mrs. T. C. Webb, and a group of Groveton residents, Miss Nellie Webb, recently named Queen of East Texas for the third annual convention of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, to be held at Bryan and College Station May 5-7, visited A. and M. College of Texas Tuesday to confer with F. W. Hensel, chairman of the pageant committee and S. C. P. Vosper, director of the pageant, relative to her appearance in this spectacular event to be held the night of May 6 during the convention.

In the Groveton group with Miss Webb, besides her mother, were Bayne Nelms, vice president and director of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce; W. T. Thagard, vice president and general manager of the Groveton Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Thagard; and Miss Maxine Pect, secretary of the Groveton Chamber of Commerce.

The group made a tour of the college campus which they reached in time to be spectators at review of the cadet corps, and conferred with Mr. Vosper relative to various details of the pageant of particular interest to the Queen.

Miss Webb, who will reign at the pageant as a junior in the Groveton high school and has just passed her sixteenth birthday anniversary, March 5. Her local popularity is attested in that she is the yell leader of the high school. Her father, T. C. Webb, is in the accounting department of the Trinity Lumber Company, at Groveton. The Webbs have been residents of Groveton for five years. Miss Webb was selected as the representative of Trinity county by the Groveton Chamber of Commerce and automatically became Queen when it was found that Trinity county reported the largest advance convention registration on basis of population. The county was given a quota of forty registrations but raised seventy-two. Last year Trinity county was second in the contest for Queen. A delegation of about 100, including seventy-five from Groveton, is expected to attend the convention from Trinity county, Mr. Nelms said. The Trinity county delegation will come in automobiles and will stay throughout the convention, according to present plans.

GERMAN OFFER REDUCES WAR DAMAGE BILL

CUTS PAYMENTS MILLION MARKS ANNUALLY AND TERM

(By Associated Press) PARIS, April 17.—Germany's counter plan for paying her World War reparations bill presented to the allied experts by Dr. Schacht, chief of the German delegation today, was understood to offer about 1,000,000,000 marks less per year than the creditors demanded. The payment would continue 37 years instead of 58 as proposed by the allies in their memorandum.

Atlantic Coast Is Storm Swept; Vessels Wrecked

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, April 17.—The Atlantic coast from Maine to Virginia is strewn with wreckage today, piled up under the battering of a northeast storm.

Ten Lose Lives When European Trains Collide

(By Associated Press) BELGIUM, April 17.—Ten persons were killed and a score seriously injured when the Paris-Amsterdam express collided with a freight train near here today. It was feared more bodies were under the wreckage.

UNIQUE MAN IS AMERICAN SAYS DUTTON

LIONS HEAR LECTURER WHO IS DELIVERING WEEK SERIES HERE

"There is no man in the world just like an American," said Dr. Dean C. Dutton, speaking to the Bryan Lions Club Tuesday on "The Making of an American." Dr. Dutton is delivering a series of lectures at Bryan and College this week and is speaking every night at the First Baptist church to adult audiences.

Speaking of the characteristics that make the American unique Dr. Dutton said: "The thing that has characterized the American type of man is that we are constantly at something. With the coming of these Lions Clubs, Rotary Clubs and other civic organizations, has come this wonderful thing of forgetting one's self and pouring out one's self for others."

In support of his repeated statement that the American type of man is the greatest that the world has ever known, the speaker referred to the earthquake in Japan, at which time the President of the United States called upon the American people for a cash subscription of \$5,000,000. Americans poured out their hearts to the suffering Japanese to the tune of \$11,000,000 instead of the \$5,000,000 asked by the president.

Dr. Dutton referred to Woodrow Wilson as "the man that shall stand as the world's first man." In entering the World War Woodrow Wilson asked nothing for America but did ask for something for the down-trodden countries of Europe. "Give Poland her independence," (Continued on page 4)

Love of Mother Guard of Youth In Inexperience

The people of Bryan have this week an opportunity to listen to one of the nation's most capable and interesting lecturers, Dr. D. C. Dutton, who speaks each evening at 8 o'clock in the main auditorium of the First Baptist church.

Dr. Dutton has delivered three of the series of lectures of this week, and tonight, will speak on "Masterful Engineering." All who fail to hear this splendid educator will miss a treat and everybody is cordially invited to be present this evening at 8 o'clock.

MORE BANDS MAKE ENTRY TO CONTEST

Twenty-Two Counties Name Princesses To Pageant

MANY ROOMS NEEDED

Convention Badges To Be Sold On Streets Saturday

Latest reports from the pageant and band committees for the East Texas Chamber of Commerce committee are to the effect that 22 of the 67 counties in the district have named princesses to the convention and spectacular pageant to be given at A. and M. College Monday night, and that 16 bands have sent in their entries for the East Texas band contest.

The indications are it was reported, that many other counties would name princesses this week and Chairman E. A. Lightfoot of the band committee stated that the number of bands already entered was far in excess of the usual number this far ahead of the contest and his estimate still is that more than fifty organizations will be entered.

Housing Seniors Problem

The problem of housing the band boys again loomed up before the meeting of convention committee chairmen last night as one of the most puzzling that yet has confronted them. Efforts to procure army cots stored in the Capitol at Austin thus far have proved unavailing on account of war department regulations and some other method of securing cots to provide sleeping accommodations for the musicians will have to be worked out.

The question of finances also had the attention of the meeting when Mills P. Walker, chairman of the finance committee, reported that approximately \$8,000, or about one-half of the sum estimated necessary for the convention expense, had been turned over to him.

Receipts from outside are coming in and advance registration sales are being reported, but sales here have slowed down, it is said. Arrangements will be made to sell badges on the streets Saturday and the banks also have supplies and are prepared to take care of local men and women who have not yet made their purchases.

Secretary S. E. Eberstadt and Forrest Jones are in Leon county today in the interest of registrations for the East Texas Chamber of Commerce convention. They will visit Jewett, Flynn, Centerville and Normangee. At the latter place, they will hold a meeting with the business men and Secretary Eberstadt will address them on Normangee "closing up shop" and coming to Bryan one day during the convention. Also they will offer them registration badges.

Interest in the convention is (Continued on page 4)

Feed Control Expert At Houston Meeting



F. D. FULLER

F. D. Fuller, chief of division of Feed Control Service, A. and M. College, left this morning for Houston to attend the Thirteenth Annual Conference of the Association of Food, Feed and Drug Officials of the South Central States which will be held at the Rice Hotel, April 18 and 19.

Mr. Fuller will deliver an address on "Essential Points of Law Enforcement. That Will Protect the Consumer and Will Promote Harmony and Good Will Between the Manufacturer and Official."

MELLON'S JOB STILL UNSAFE SAY SENATORS

RENOMINATION IS PASSED; HOLDINGS ARE QUIZZED

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, April 17.—The senate judiciary committee after deciding today that Andrew Mellon had a right to remain in the Hoover cabinet without his nomination being resubmitted, deferred until Friday the determination of whether his business connections would bar him.

Payroll Bandits Disarm Guards; Loot Is \$38,000

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, April 17.—A band of robbers in an automobile today held up and shot a policeman and a bank messenger who were guarding a payroll and escaped with \$38,000.

The holdup took place on the downtown West Side. Jos. Clacey, the patrolman, was seriously wounded and John McKane, the messenger was slightly injured.

Mrs. F. D. Perkins entertained with a beautiful luncheon bridge today at one o'clock at the home of her mother, Mrs. O. H. Astin, honoring Mrs. Fred Pryor of Austin, a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Astin.

FARM RELIEF BILL TO PASS AS SUBMITTED

Right of Senate To Legislate Now Questioned

HOOVER KEEPS MUM

Debut Plan Now Is Subject For Debate

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, April 17.—With the senate agriculture committee still considering the advisability of including the export debenture plan in its farm relief bill, leaders today began to differ over whether the senate has a constitutional right to initiate such legislation.

So far no word for or against the debenture plan has been received by the committee from either Secretary Hyde or any other spokesman for the president.

Most of the committee members now hold that unless there is strong criticism of the plan sent to the capitol, it will be approved.

CONVENTION CHATTER

"I shall take pleasure in attending the press breakfast at the A. and M. College Mess Hall Monday morning May 6," writes Howard Hampton, information service director East Texas Chamber of Commerce, Longview.

"I have my press badge and thank you very much for same. I regret that it looks like it will be impossible for me to arrange to be at the press breakfast on the morning of May 6, but I certainly will not miss spending as much time as I can in your wonderful city and giving any assistance I can in extending the glad hand to the visitors within your gates," writes J. Felton Lane, editor of Hearne Democrat.

"Will arrive in Bryan with my band the morning of May 6, so have the cup ready as we expect to bring it home with us. We are bringing a thirty-eight piece band and will call on you the morning of our arrival. And will give you a few Henry Purl specials such as 'Arkansas Traveler.' I am sure you folks are very busy at this time preparing for the convention. We expect to have a great time. With best regards to you I remain, yours truly,

L. J. DIMMITT, Director of Athletics for Beaumont City Schools.

The Navasota Daily Examiner this day received from Bryan headquarters of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce where arrangements for the third annual convention are being perfected, one of the convention badges, issued especially to the press, which entitles the holders to admission to the various features to be staged during the three days East Texans are to spend in that city early in May. Estimates of the crowd to be there assembled vary from 25,000 to 50,000. Mrs. Lee J. Rountree is chairman of the press committee and Curtis Vinson (Continued on page 4)

Fishing Smack Believed Lost Safely in Port

GALVESTON, April 17.—The fishing schooner, Thistle, reported overturned in the Gulf of Mexico several days ago and the object of a search by four coast guard patrol boats, arrived in port today with a cargo of red snapper.

Mexican Rebels Prepare for Last Stand at Nogales and Aguaprieta; Unemployed Made to Dig Trenches

(By Associated Press)

NOGALES, April 17.—The Mexican rebel fortifications at Nogales and Aguaprieta, Sonora, were being strengthened today as the federal armies crept nearer the last stronghold of the revolutionary movement.

Princesses Named From 22 Counties

Five more princesses have been named for the retinue of the Queen of East Texas, making 22 in all who have been named to date from that many counties in the East Texas territory, in which are located 67 counties. The princesses whose names were received this morning and the counties they will represent are as follows:

Miss Mary Esther Forrest, Midway, Madison county.
Miss Margaret Jordan, Waco, McLennan county.
Miss Blanche DeJernette, Commerce, Hunt county.
Miss Anna Belle Smith, Crockett, Houston county.
Miss Clyde Barker, Cameron, Milam county.

Convention Com. Appointed for All Social Events

Mrs. Tyler Haswell, chairman of entertainment for ladies who will be in Bryan during the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, makes announcement of the following committees appointed to serve at the various functions planned for that time:

To supervise decorations at the Country Club house: Mrs. Dona Carnes, chairman; Mesdames Geo. Chance, R. B. Ehinger, R. L. Bearne, M. L. Parker, Harry Estill, Osborn Johnson, R. A. Harrison and Miss Allie Conway.

For refreshments, buffet supper at Country Club, Sunday evening: Mesdames G. Sam Parker, Clifford Mitchell, John Seely Caldwell, Allen Carr Jr., John M. Lawrence Jr., R. V. Armstrong, D. W. Howell, Marion Halsell, Edwin Crenshaw, E. E. McQuillen, Mit Danby; Misses Nan She, Waldrop, Patti Sims, Gene Edge, Martha Rivers Allen and Dorothy Ettie.

On Monday open house is to be kept at the Country Club from 9 to 12 a. m. when two ladies from each club will act as hostesses. On Monday afternoon there will be a tea for the visitors at the Country Club at which the various club presidents and two members from each organization so represented will act as hostesses.

The following organizations have been invited to cooperate in furnishing hostesses for both Monday morning and Monday afternoon, and the presidents of these groups are requested to make appointments and telephone Mrs. Haswell the names of those who will serve for those occasions: (Continued on page 4)

Hopeless Future Faced by Silver; May Go to Chair

(By Associated Press)

HUNTSVILLE, April 17.—In "solitary" and "stripes" within the bleak walls of the state penitentiary here, Bob Silver last night faced an apparently dismal future.

A forceful reminder that he was to be tried again on a charge of robbery with firearms, the charge on which he was once assessed the death penalty, was given him this afternoon only a few hours after he had been returned to the prison.

With John Reid and Robert Hill who were two of his companions in the escape from the Wynne state prison farm near here Friday night, he was taken before S. W. Dean, district judge.

The judge ordered the three men and Marvin W. Azbell all of whom were indicted today for robbery with firearms, to appear before him Thursday and make arrangements for counsel. Azbell, who had been taken back to the tubercular ward of the Wynne farm, was not forced to appear before the judge today.

As Silver and the other two convicts marched down the street with chains about their necks and in the custody of three prison guards, they were the objects of considerable interest. A large (Continued on page 4)

APPEALS LOST BY THREE WHO GO TO CHAIR

Cases Hanging Fire Disposed of At Austin

NEW LEASE ON LIFE

Given Ward County Man Convicted of Murder

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, April 17.—Three death sentence cases finally were disposed of when applications for rehearings were denied by the court of criminal appeals today. One murder case carrying a sentence of life imprisonment was reversed and remanded.

Henry Helm, under death sentence from Eastland county in connection with a bank robbery at Cisco; Silas Jarman of Grayson county, given a death sentence for robbery with firearms and Jesse Charles of Liberty county, assessed the supreme penalty for the murder of Winfred Knepple, all were denied rehearings.

Leah Bailey, convicted in Ward county for slaying Dan Horn and given life imprisonment, was granted a new trial, the court finding an error in the trial court's charge on the issue of self defense.

SECOND FLAG RAISING FOR BOWIE SCHOOL

CEREMONY WILL BE HELD THURSDAY AFTERNOON IN SCHOOL YARD

Bowie Elementary school will have the second flag raising in its history tomorrow afternoon at 3:15 o'clock at the school building, when a flag presented by the American Legion to take the place of the original flag presented by the D. A. R. and now badly whiped, will be formally raised.

The program calls for the assembly of the school children, members of the American Legion and Auxiliary and the general public, at the foot of the flagpole and the lowering of the old flag.

The presentation of the new flag will be made by a representative of the American Legion and this will be raised by the Bowie Flag Squad.

Mrs. I. H. Bartz, president of the Auxiliary, will make an address as will M. M. Erskine of the American Legion. The response on behalf of the school will be made by Oak McKenzie.

The closing feature will be the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner" and a ceremony by the Bowie Brigade.

Bryan Club Women At Timpson Meet

Mrs. Tyler Haswell left today for Timpson where she will represent the Woman's Club of Bryan at the annual convention of the Fourth District Federation of Women's Clubs. Others going from Bryan and College Station as representatives of local club organizations are: Mrs. O. B. Martin, the Extension Service Club; Mrs. Chas. Crawford, Young Ladies Reading Club, and Mrs. R. L. Brown, Campus Study Club.

Ross Volunteers Open Festivity Thursday Night

The annual festivities of the Ross Volunteers, the junior and senior cadet social organization at A. and M. College will open tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock when the annual banquet will be held. Tomorrow night at 9 o'clock the Queen's ball will be given in Sbia Hall. Miss Elizabeth Kercheville will be crowned queen. D. H. Johnson, a senior cadet, also of San Antonio will be crowned king. Friday evening at 7:30 the organization will put on a drill on Kyle Field, which will be specially lighted for the occasion. At 9 o'clock the R. V. hop will be held. The weeks festivities will come to a close on Saturday night when the cadet corps dance will be held.

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"Let it be the high privilege of this great and free people to establish a republic where rural pride is equal to civic pride, where men of the most refined taste and culture select the rural villa, and where the wealth that comes from the soil finds its greatest return in developing and perfecting that great domain of nature which God has given to us as an everlasting estate." — Dr. Seaman A. Knapp.

NO SMALL POX HERE

There has been much talk among residents of Bryan about the presence here of small pox. This talk has been heard on the streets, in places of business and in the homes of the city. Some residents have been more or less wrought up over the matter. Some of this talk undoubtedly has leaked out to neighboring towns and cities.

The facts of the case, so far as they can be ascertained, are that no case of small pox has been uncovered in Bryan during the last month, in which period most of the talk regarding the disease has been heard. The health officials of the city state positively that no case has been reported by other physicians and that none has been found by the department. Furthermore, the city health officer states that if either a positive or suspicious case is discovered immediate steps will be taken to prevent further contagion.

In the statement that no case of the disease has been discovered the city health officer is borne out by the physicians who are practicing in the city.

Bryan has suffered in the last few weeks from a form of chicken pox that is unusually severe and

this undoubtedly has given rise to the report of the more dreaded disease.

While denying that any cases of smallpox have been discovered the physicians advise vaccination for those who have not had this preventive treatment in recent years. This is a health measure, just as cleaning up the back yard and is no more an evidence of epidemic than is a clean-up campaign or an inoculation against any other disease. It is part and parcel of the development of preventive medicine that has materially raised the health standards of this country in the last ten years and that also has reduced the death rate in the case of many diseases that formerly took a heavy annual toll.

In view of the statements by the city health authorities and your own physicians it would be well, considering the best interests of the city, if the residents showed their confidence in the men to whom they trust their families and themselves in case of serious illness by ceasing the careless and more or less harmful street talk about the possibility of small pox running unchecked in Bryan.

Prohibition Commissioner Doran is planning a grape juice survey. Why not clean up on the known gangsters before going out into the byways and hedges?

Gigantic Show of Fireworks Will Be Feature of Pageant Planned to Be Given During East Texas Meet

A spectacle of light and color of unusual brilliance and proportions will be presented in the huge pageant to be held during the East Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, F. W. Hensel, chairman of the pageant committee, has announced. S. C. P. Vosper, director of the pageant, has been busy for some time planning and working out the details of the event. The series of action pictures to be staged will present a colorful symbolic portrayal of the triumph of knowledge in the progress of man.

Contract for the use of a gigantic show of fireworks in connection with the pageant has been closed. Contrary to procedure in some instances, however, the fireworks display will not be a distinct individual feature but will be employed in connection with the general theme of the pageant, blending with the spectacle as a whole.

The program for the pageant, as announced tentatively, calls for 21 events. The spectacle will be staged in the athletic stadium at the A. and M. College of Texas which has a seating capacity for

Bryan Team Won Second Place In Typewriting Test

In the district typewriting contest, held under the auspices of the Interscholastic League of the State University Saturday morning, April 13 at Waco, the Bryan team was an entrant, and was accompanied to Waco by their teacher and coach, Miss Clara Calhoun. The Bryan contestants were: Marie Graham, Beth Locke and Mary Martha Black. Four towns were in the contest: Waco, Bryan, Marlin, and Cameron. The Waco team won first place, making an average of 37 words a minute; Bryan team won second place with an average of 34 words a minute. Marie Graham won first place; Beth Locke second, and Mary Martha Black, third.

The day that the doors of the Washington jail close behind Harry F. Sinclair will be an important one in the history of American business. It will be evidence that there is but one law for all, even though Justice does slip once in a while.

25,000 and all spectators will be afforded a good vantage point from which to view the event. High points of the pageant will be the entrance of the princesses representing the various East Texas countries, the entrance and coronation of the Queen of East Texas presentation of the princesses and a series of military drills by cadets of the A. and M. College of Texas, including the Ross Volunteers, crack military unit of the A. and M. cadet corps, and Allen Academy.

Eleven groups, representing various phases of education, will precede the entrance of the Queen of East Texas who will be seated on a float drawn by sixteen boys.

Letters to the various princesses have been sent out by Chairman Hensel, extending a welcome to them as guests for the convention. Rehearsal for the Queen and members of her court will be held Sunday afternoon, according to present plans. Committee on costumes for the pageant has been announced as follows: Mrs. E. J. Kyle and Mrs. A. B. Conner, College Station, and Mrs. Donna Carnes, Bryan.

CARLOS PLACE OF PROPOSED OPERATIONS

Houston and Dallas Men Are Said To Be In On Deal

EXPERTS SPOT WELL

Equipment For Work Will Be Hauled Next Week

Bryan men interested in the oil development in Brazos and Grimes counties closed a contract today with Roy Deering, an oil operator of Dallas, to drill a well at Carlos, Grimes county. The land on which the drilling will be made is owned by Dr. W. H. Lawrence, M. E. Wallace, W. P. Trant and J. T. Turner all of Bryan.

Mr. Deering was in Bryan Wednesday and Thursday, arranging the details of the contract and stated that the derrick builders would be here next Monday and that he would start all mechanical equipment on his own trucks toward the well site on the same day, in order that no time be lost in getting started. Derrick timbers are being placed today by the Neidigh saw mill, located near by. While in Bryan Mr. Deering who is a Rotarian, was a guest at the Bryan Rotary Club meeting.

The drilling will be financed, it is reported, by Houston and Dallas capitalists who are interested in oil development.

The well was spotted, it is stated, by three of the best known geologists of the state. They decided that previous wells drilled in the vicinity and in the same structure, were too low down and are satisfied that the present location is "on top" and should produce gas and oil.

The property, which was acquired by its Bryan owners some years ago when operations first started in that territory, is located on what is known as the Berryman survey and will be some distance north and west of the wells that heretofore have blown out with gas and have caused considerable interest in that section.

The hotels of Bryan have been filled for several weeks with oil men following different phases of the business and their presence here has given rise to many rumors and reports. It is stated

that in a few weeks considerable drilling activity may be seen in this territory.

Mr. Deering who was much impressed with the hotel accommodations and other evidences of progress in Bryan, said the city would be the headquarters of the men interested with him in the Carlos project.

BRYAN WINNER AT P. T. A. MEET FOR DISTRICT

SCRAP BOOK AND HAND CRAFT ENTRIES WIN FIRST

Bryan East Side Parent-Teacher Association has made a sweeping victory at the Ninth District P. T. A. convention being held this week at Temple. Three telegrams came from Temple to Bryan today announcing important and cheering news, and were sent by Mrs. C. A. Searcy of Bryan who is attending the Temple convention.

Mrs. A. S. McSwain, chairman of East Side P. T. A. scrap book for 1928-29, received this message: "Bryan East Side P. T. A. scrap book won first prize in the Ninth district contest."

H. L. Durham, superintendent of the Bryan city schools, and who assisted Miss Lelia Griffin and Miss Montgomery in the collection and arrangement of Bryan East Side school exhibit sent to the Temple convention received the following message: "Bryan East Side school exhibit won the hand craft prizes; money and silver cup."

Mrs. Albert Buchanan, secretary-treasurer of East Side P. T. A. of Bryan received a message stating "Bryan East Side P. T. A. pledged life membership for our superintendent, H. L. Durham."

Mrs. C. C. Beal of this city has with her for a visit in her home, her father T. H. Mills of Wichita Falls. Mr. Mills has been spending the winter at Pensacola, Florida, and stopped over in Bryan for a visit with his daughter as he is en route back to his home at Wichita Falls.

Just Like An Ostrich

A medical authority says that a person who tries to cover up skin blemishes and pimples with white creams and powders is just as foolish as an ostrich that buries its head in the sand to avoid danger. Skin eruptions are nature's warning that contamination is throwing poisons into your blood stream and weakening your whole constitution. Remove the contaminated condition and you will strengthen your system against disease and clear up your disfigured skin. The best way to do this is with a course of Herbine, the vegetable medicine that acts naturally and surely, which you can get at ROMAN & VICK

FARM JOURNAL TO ESTABLISH OFFICES HERE

J. E. STANFORD REPRESENTS NASHVILLE PAPER IN TEXAS

Many friends of J. E. Stanford, formerly connected with the Extension Service division of A. and M. College and more recently agricultural director and assistant manager of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, will be interested to learn that he plans to return to Bryan in the immediate future. Mr. Stanford has resigned his position with the East Texas organization and will act as Texas editor for the Southern Agriculturist, one of the leading sectional farm papers of the country published at Nashville.

Mr. Stanford will establish the Texas editorial offices of the publication at Bryan and from this point will cover the agricultural development of the state. His proximity to A. and M. College when located here, and his close acquaintance with the work of that institution, it is believed, make this an ideal point for his work in his new field.

Roger Davis, formerly agricultural agent for Marion county and secretary of the Jefferson Chamber of Commerce, who recently was named assistant agricultural director of the East Texas organization, will succeed Mr. Stanford.

Navasota Pledges Support to East Texas C. C. Meet

A committee from Navasota consisting of E. M. Perry, H. N. Sandall and T. B. Terrell, were in Bryan on Monday afternoon, and conferred with E. H. Astin, general chairman, and S. E. Eberstadt, secretary of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention Committee. These gentlemen stated that they were sent to Bryan by the Navasota Chamber of Commerce to pledge the assistance and cooperation of that organization in any way they might help put over this great convention. They stated that Navasota was going to close shop on Monday, May 6, and the entire town come to the convention and on arrival would pull a big parade.

Bryan Daily Eagle want ads are the little messengers that bring the results.

Youth Enrolled For CMTC Is Half of Quota

That the half-way mark of acceptable applications for enrollment in the Citizens' Military Training Camps of the 8th Corps Area has been reached has been announced at C. M. T. C. headquarters, 8th Corps Area, Fort Sam Houston.

Fourteen hundred and fifty young men of the Corps Area have either been definitely or tentatively accepted for attendance at camps. Those boys who have been definitely accepted have already been ordered to camp, whereas those on the tentative list still have some minor detail of procedure in connection with enrollment to complete before orders sending them to camp can be issued.

Enrollment is progressing favorably and it is anticipated that all camp quotas will be filled one month prior to the opening date. Young men of Brazos county who contemplate attending C. M. T. Camps this summer are urged to submit their applications without delay, in order that final instructions for attendance may be issued one month before the opening of camp.

FOR SERVICE
Standing for public service excellent Percheron, Morgan Thoroughbred and Saddle stallions, A. J. so Jack. Fee \$7.50 except Saddle stallion which is \$12.50. Fees due at time of service. Demand for good horses and mules is improving.
Animal Husbandry Department, College Station, Texas.

FOR SALE—Forty bushels of pure Mebane cotton planting seed \$2.50 per bushel. Grown on Agronomy Farm, College Station, Texas. Phone COLLEGE 243.

Try Eagle want ads to sell anything you wish to dispose of.

Over a Billion Deadly Germs in a Single Drop of Water

Germs are so small that there may be as many as one billion, seven hundred million of them in a drop of water. And just a few of these tiny germs, if they get into your blood through a cut in your skin, may make you so sick you will be in bed for weeks—may cause the loss of a limb through blood poisoning—may even infect you with that most dreadful and fatal of diseases, lockjaw.

Just because you can see no dirt in a cut does not mean that it is clean. You cannot see germs. The only safe and sane thing to do, is to thoroughly wash every cut, no matter how small, with Liquid Borozone, to kill the germs, and then dust it with Borozone Powder, to hasten the healing. Liquid Borozone costs 30 cents, 60 cents, \$1.20 and \$1.50; Borozone Powder, 20 cents and 40 cents and can be had at Roman & Vick. (Adv.)

EXCURSION SAN ANTONIO

SAN JACINTO FIESTA BATTLE OF FLOWERS

Class A	APRIL 20-26	Class B
\$8.20		\$5.15
Round Trip		Round Trip

Class A tickets will be on sale April 19 to 24 inclusive. Returning limited to reach Bryan prior to midnight of April 29. Class B tickets will be on sale April 25 and 26. Returning limited to reach Bryan prior to midnight of April 29.

Tickets - Information
Ticket Agent
Missouri Pacific Lines



"A Service Institution"

BEGINNING SATURDAY, April 20

every loaf of our

"MITY-NICE" Bread

Put out for retail trade will contain a coupon and each week one loaf will contain a LUCKY coupon bearing our telephone number "89" printed in red across the reverse side.

This LUCKY coupon will be good for \$3.00 worth of merchandise when redeemed at any grocery, meat market or filling station in Bryan selling our products.

We have recently installed equipment for mixing and molding our bread so as to give the same wonderful texture to our loaf that has heretofore been possible only in the largest city plants.

We want to bring the best quality of bakery products to our Bryan trade and will appreciate the patronage of those who believe that Bryan's growth and development depends upon the prosperity and expansion of its home owned industries.

TEXAS BAKERY

Phone 89

Bryan, Texas

BRAZOS COUNTY

Boys' And Girls' Club Department

Club Notes and Farm News by County Agent C. L. Beason and Home Demonstration Agent Lucy Givens

Enters Caning Contest

Mrs. E. M. Seaman of Kurten intends to score high in the Chamber of Commerce canning contest. Mrs. Seaman brought home a new pressure canner last Tuesday afternoon and the very next morning they canned 19 cans of English peas.

Garden Girls Active

Club girls are reporting good project work. Lois Mathis of Reliance says she has a fine garden of 285 tomato plants, 52 pepper plants, 3 rows of beans and a row of cucumbers. Other vegetables are planted and she is trying several new vegetables. The garden girls are striving to have a continuous garden so that they can have the vegetables required in the adequate diet.

Care of Baby Chicks

Poultry club members are practicing better methods in feeding and care of baby chicks and so far all reports are good. They are also providing clean and comfortable brooders for their chicks. The majority of the poultry project girls have at least 15 chicks hatched and more eggs setting. Louise Seaman, a first year girl of Kurten has 14 fine white Wyandotte chicks. She says she is going to do her best to raise every one of them and a lot more too.

Success Succeeds

W. S. Childress, county agent of Burleson county, is not a Methodist, but his 350 White Leghorns produced last year 68,530 eggs, for which he received \$1,370.60 or an average of 4 cents a dozen. Mr. Childress has now increased his flock to 1,000 hens and plans to raise the number to 2,000 by the end of this year. He states that 2,000 hens will make him \$3,000, after paying feed and labor bills. His foundation stock was obtained from A. and M. College. Frank Merka, local dairyman, states that his 260 hens produced during March 441 dozen eggs, which netted him \$100.33 after paying for 1,700 pounds of feed. Gentlemen, proof of the "coon dog" is evidenced by the hides hanging on the wall.

Hatching Eggs Cheap

Frank Habarta of the Rye 4-H Club was in Bryan Monday to exchange market eggs for purebred eggs, the county agent having arranged to make the exchange by giving 2 market eggs for one standard egg. This arrangement applies to the county agent's club members who desire either White Leghorns, Barred Rocks, or Rhode Island Reds, and will hold good for a week or two before pens are broken up. This is a wonderful opportunity whereby eggs from blood-tested and trap-nested birds may be obtained for club projects. Be sure that eggs for exchange are clean and fresh.

Need Better Terracing

Many farmers state that the recent rains washed the land and broke terraces. This only emphasizes the need of more and better terracing. Wherever terraces were two feet high and twenty feet wide and well settled little damage was done. Before passing judgment on terracing see whether or not your terraces measure up to the standard.

Prospect News

Our neighborhood is fortunate in having a daily bus line from Crockett to Bryan, put on within the last few weeks. This makes travel much more convenient than having to go 30 or 40 miles north or south to get started toward the east.

The heavy rain put our farmers out of commission for a few days, but since the sun is shining they will soon be able to rush farm work.

The forward season made the need of the school children in the crops imperative, so the trustees closed the Prospect school Friday. It is a deplorable condition when children must be deprived of the schooling the tax payers have provided on account of making more cotton to sell below cost of production.

Eaton Rice won the prize in Mrs. Wilson's room for perfect attendance. Morris Beal and Luther Wilson tied for second prize. In Mrs. McDonald's room Rosia Maglito won the prize for good attendance and Flossie Mae Wilson won the prize for gain in weight.

In Mrs. Wilson's room 83 1-3 per cent were promoted.

In Mrs. McDonald's room Mary and Sam Emola and Frances Merino were promoted to the second grade. Many others needed the eighth month to finish their work.

Frank Carrobbio, Tony Cimino, Robbie Batten, Mary Merino, Rosia Maglito and Flossie Mae Wilson were promoted to third grade.

G. M. Terry had the misfortune to be in a runaway scrape last week. He suffered a bruised limb which caused several days' loss of work besides the suffering.

Miss Verna Tullous visited in Bryan three days last week.

Miss Loula Malone of Madisonville visited her sister, Mrs. D. J. McDonald Thursday and Friday of last week.

D. J. McDonald made a business trip to Madison county Monday, April 15.

Fathers vs. Sons

Club members do not have to send in questionnaires on crop contests. Their enrollment makes them eligible for the various contests. Remember, for the first time boys are competing with their dads, so it is up to you boys, to lick or get licked.

On To Washington

The trip to Washington, D. C., is based on average grade made in club work for three years, the present year and the two preceding years. Begin now to build a record that will win, if not for this year then for the next, or the next.

Boy Sells Father

Ford Mercer, who won the Moses cup in 1924 for being the most outstanding club boy in America, is now assistant club agent in Oklahoma. Ford was the son of a tenant farmer and did club work for seven years before this national honor came to him. This outstanding honor might have come to him sooner, but when he first joined the club he failed to have the approval and cooperation from his father. Later on it is reported the father said, "Look what we are doing!"

Shade For Poultry

If you do not have other shade, then don't forget to plant castor beans this month to make shade for poultry during the hot summer.

National Egg Week

May 1-7 is National Egg Week. During this time we are supposed to give consideration to the egg as a source of food rich in vitamins. If we feed each of the 40,000 visitors in Bryan during the East Texas Chamber of Commerce convention only two eggs a day it will take a quarter of a million eggs, and the "cock's shrill clarion" will echo his approval of a great job—none of which was his own.

Texas Bakery Equipped With New Machinery

Bryan housewives like those of other progressive American communities have discovered that the best and cheapest way to provide wholesome and appetizing bakery products for their family table and delectable pastries for their social functions is to leave the preparation and baking to those who specialize in that line and have all the equipment to turn out a uniform product and place it on the market at a nominal charge.

A visit to the mixing and oven room of the Texas Bakery revealed to an Eagle reporter that there is nothing lacking in the equipment of that establishment that might assure local housewives efficient and satisfactory service in the commercial baking line.

No housewife can afford to spend time and energy in the preparation of small quantities of bread and pastries when at nominal cost she may buy products prepared with the latest improved machinery, by experts who devote their entire time to the making and finishing of such products and from the commercial plant one gets a high-grade uniform product at slightly more than the raw materials would cost the housewife.

The Texas Bakery has recently installed a machine electrically operated to remove all air spaces from yeast dough just before it is molded for baking. This is a machine recently brought into the commercial baking field which has brought such perfection of texture to yeast breads.

It should be a source of pride to Bryan citizens that a bakery in our own city is willing at great expense to install the latest machinery and give its local trade a product heretofore possible only in the larger bakeries of the cities.

The Texas Bakery is a home industry founded here 35 years ago by Mr. and Mrs. Otto Boehme, and later carried on by Mrs. Boehme herself. In 1919, the daughter of these pioneers in Bryan business, Mrs. Tilly Powers, took over the management of the bakery, and since that time Mrs. Powers has been active in and loyal to every development program launched in Bryan.

Mrs. Powers tells us that in the years of her business activity here she has seen the demand for bakery products grow from the trade of restaurants and hotels and an occasional extra loaf when unexpected guests placed Bryan housewives in need of help to a steady demand not only for bread and rolls, but for cakes, pastries and special orders. It has been the policy of this concern to grow and expand with Bryan, and local housewives are invited to inform themselves regarding a new profit coupon plan that will be used in connection with its retail sales beginning Saturday April 20.

STAR DIARRHOEA TABLETS Stops Diarrhoea and saves the baby chicks or your money back.—Roman & Vick. (Adv.)

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BURLESON CO. TO SEND 2,000 TO MAY MEET

Third Pilgrimage Is Planned For Big Convention

BUSINESS MEN AID In Farming Program Boosted by A.-M. Visits

(Special To The Eagle) COLLEGE STATION, April 17.—Approximately 2,000 residents of Burleson county are expected to visit the A. and M. College of Texas May 6, the opening day of the third annual convention of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, according to information just received from W. S. Childers, Burleson county agricultural agent. The occasion will be the third annual pilgrimage of Burleson county people to the college and will be held at the time mentioned in order that the group may also attend the convention.

Traveling in automobiles, the caravan expects to arrive at the college at 9:30 o'clock in the morning and the visitors will spend the entire day on the campus. The route of travel will be by way of Bryan. The purpose of the pilgrimage as set forth by Mr. Childers is to obtain at first hand information on better farming methods and to gain added inspiration in farm program. Burleson county has made marked progress in farming during the preceding three years through the operation of the Burleson county five-year-plan which has been practiced consistently. Large delegations from the county visited A. and M. College last year and the preceding year.

The forthcoming pilgrimage will be sponsored by the outstanding business and professional interests of the county. The delegation will be headed by W. S. Childers, county agent, and will have the support of the Burleson County Chamber of Commerce, Somerville Chamber of Commerce, County Commissioners Court, Caldwell News, Somerville Tribune and all banks and schools of the county. Leaders who will assist will include:

Officers of the Burleson County Chamber of Commerce as follows: H. G. Womble, president; C. A. Bain, vice president; C. E. Cromartie, secretary. Officers of the Somerville Chamber of Commerce as follows: R. L. Gattling, president; C. S. Crawley, vice president; J. Y. Wright, secretary.

The following business and professional men of the county: C. C. Nelms, president Caldwell National Bank; H. H. Womble, president First State Bank, Caldwell; John C. Seibert, vice president of the First State Bank, Deaneville; W. D. Boyd, cashier of the First State Bank, Chiesman; O. A. Schatz, cashier of the First State Bank, Lyons; Horace C. Harden, cashier of the Citizens State Bank, Somerville; A. J. Prasatik, county school superintendent; C. L. McDonald, superintendent of the Caldwell city schools; D. W. Cox, superintendent of the Somerville city schools; J. M. Hare, superintendent of the Lyons schools.

The delegation will be accompanied by the Caldwell high school band. The heaviest rainfall for any one week of the year was registered at A. and M. College for the week beginning Monday, April 7 and ending Sunday, April 14, reaching a total of 5.79 inches. The greatest rainfall at any one time was 2.52 inches on Friday, while Monday registered 1.55 inches, and Saturday 1.72 inches.

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Eastern Star Gets Data For Schools Of All Instruction

Mrs. Belle M. Brown of College Station, District Deputy Worthy Grand Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star, has announced dates for the Schools of Instruction to be held in this, Fourth, district as follows: Galveston, April 27th; Houston, April 30th; Eagle Lake, May 2nd; Port Arthur, May 4th. The Worthy Grand Matron of the Eastern Star, Mrs. Bertie J. Eastering of Del Rio, and the Worthy Grand Patron, W. Gregory Hatcher of Austin and other grand officers will attend these Schools of Instruction.

Read Eagle want ads.

Facts of Life and Business Are Necessary to Progress; Hedging Is Only a Hindrance

BY NELL BENTLEY

Some time ago we ventured to ask a gentleman whose judgment is good why figures and statistics are usually not interesting. He replied that "figures don't lie and the truth hurts"; and cited as concrete example the fact that stout ladies usually avoid scales. We could not afford to appear sarcastic under the circumstances, yet we offered the argument that refusing to know the truth does not make stout ladies more "willowy" or less "billyow." We hold the view that conditions are seldom made better by refusing to know the truth, and that the first requisite in bringing about better business conditions is a comprehensive study of facts and figures based on things as they really are.

You may believe it or not, but we have at hand figures taken from a reliable source of information and used to substantiate the opinion of business experts that Texas is at this time undergoing a process of evolution from methods of finance and economics founded on the old order established in the day when cotton farming was our chief source of income to the more modern methods that are a natural consequence of established diversified farming practices.

Cotton is still the chief source of income in West Texas, the total value of the crop in that section for 1928 being estimated at \$275,000,000 for both lint and seed. Livestock sales for the same period are placed at \$135,000,000 disregarding the value of that retained as breeding stock. Poultry and eggs marketed amounted to \$10,000,000. While cream and milk increased the income of West Texas farmers by \$16,000,000 even though the dairy industry is in its infancy there. A bit of simple addition tells us that the combined income (with the value of farm herds and flocks left entirely out of the calculation) from livestock, dairying and poultry in West Texas for the past year amounted to the significant figure of \$191,000,000. Oil paid that section of the state \$165,000,000. Corn and grain sorghums and wheat brought \$65,000,000; wool and mohair \$15,000,000; peanuts, \$6,000,000 and pecans, \$4,250,000. We find the total value of farm crops other than cotton in this area reaching the figure of \$281,250,000, all together exceeding the income from livestock, dairying and poultry in West Texas for the past year by \$80,250,000.

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Going back to the agricultural income of West Texas, we venture that the percent of profit from cotton farming and from the livestock, poultry, grain, etc., produced in that area would be safely in the favor of the products other than cotton; and adding the profit realized from sales to the value of stock retained in the farm flocks and herds, we feel that some more "disgusting" data might be compiled. In the last analysis, it is the low percent of profit realized that is making cotton farming unpopular in Texas and giving rise to a new economic order over the entire state.

The Associated Press is responsible for the information that although the Southern Creameries are operating 90 cream stations within a radius of 100 miles from Texarkana, milk production in that area does not keep pace with demand and it is necessary to obtain milk from Ft. Worth. Last year the farmers of this area received in payment for their milk \$333,875. Plants consuming whole milk have been established during the past year at Marshall, Sherman and Denison, and plants are now under construction at Tyler, Waco and Sulphur Springs.

Another interesting summary on dairy development in Texas as well as a forecast on future development, comes from the Division of Dairy Husbandry, Bureau of Agricultural Economics. Dealing with the possibilities of overproduction this digest says that a net increase of 2 percent on our present basis of consumption, would place the United States on an export basis; but cites the fact that consumption of dairy products in the United States could be increased by 50 percent with advantage to the consumers. This increase is entirely possible and practical if stimulated by proper educational methods and if the program of production, consumption and marketing methods move forward in proper correlation the Bureau of Economics allays all fear of overproduction in the immediate future.

That consumption always has increased locally where the quality of the dairy products has been improved by educational campaigns, is a determined fact, also that in sections where dairy farming becomes a generally accepted program, farm families become greater consumers of dairy products. In every instance where figures have been compiled relative to the effect of dairy farming on local business conditions, credit business decreases, cash business increases and the whole volume of retail business doubles in a period of three years.

What five dairy cows can do for a farm home in one year is summed up in the following statement made by the Kerrville Mountain Sun: "Pay state and county

taxes, buy the automobile license and two new tires, provide a \$40 kitchen cabinet, a \$50 sewing machine, a \$40 suite of furniture, school books for the children, clothe a family of five and buy \$50 worth of paint to brighten up and preserve the farm buildings. Besides the cash income, the fertilizer will increase the productivity of the soil, and there will be some calves either to sell or to add to the herd."

Most any farmer with a reputation for industry and honesty can secure enough credit to buy five cows, and industry and management will make it possible for him to increase and improve that herd every year until he has reached the capacity of his farm and his market possibilities. Who said it took a "lot of money" to begin in the dairy business?

City Has Problem To Solve in Petty Thieving Going On

Bryan has a real problem in the petty thieving going on in this city, from time to time. Homes are being ransacked while the family is away, money being the only thing sought, it seems, as money is taken and other valuables nearby and in sight of the thieves left unmolested.

Sunday night several homes on the east side of Bryan and several on the west side were entered. The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Poindecker was burglarized, some money taken from the dresser drawers, and the savings bank of the baby boy of the home, John Wallace Poindecker, broken open by the thieves and his pennies and dimes and nickles also stolen.

On the West Side, the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Buchanan was entered by a window on the gallery. The window was raised, the screen removed and placed on the sill where the burglars entered showed the mud and dirt from the feet that went over it. The dresser drawers in one bedroom were gone through and \$2 in bills taken from a purse; a check for \$10 in the same purse was left, proving that the thieves want nothing that could in any way identify them.

Brazos Co. Health Nurse Examines School Children

A summary of the work done among the school children of Brazos county by Miss Ella Bandelin health nurse for the school term of 1928-1929 shows 1,387 children inspected by the nurse, and 168 given examination by physicians. Through these inspections and examinations a total of 2,675 defects were revealed and 1,441 children were found to have defects that might be remedied. Of this number 794 children had attention to correct physical defects.

The number of children found to be 10 per cent or more under weight was 562 and these were given suggested diets for correction of this condition. Miss Bandelin has made 78 health talks and visited 56 homes following up school examinations.

LUMBER COMPANY HERE CHARTERED BY STATE

Among the incorporations chartered in Texas this week, according to announcement from Austin, is the Ball Lumber Company of Bryan with a capital of \$5,000. The incorporators named are A. L. Lipscomb, Dr. T. J. Hefflin and W. R. Ball.

The company, it is understood, is operating a saw mill across the Navasota river in Madison county.

Want ads will sell it right now.

A. J. WAGNER

ANNOUNCES

The arrival of new Summer togs for the ladies and misses. OUR LADIES SPECIALTY SHOP is running over with the season's prettiest and best at prices that will please.

And, too, furnishings for the men folks can be had right up to the minute in style and quality. Especially do we call attention to our big assortment of men's straw hats at a new low price line.

A. J. WAGNER

GROVETON GIRL PICKED TO RULE AT PAGEANT

Guest of Directors of Chamber Commerce Meet Today

SPECTACULAR AFFAIR

Accompanied to Bryan By Committee From Groveton

Miss Nelle Webb of Groveton, Trinity county, who has been chosen to reign as Queen of the spectacular pageant and ceremony planned for Monday night, May 6, at A. and M. College during the annual convention of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, was a guest at the directors meeting of the Bryan Chamber of Commerce this morning. Miss Webb was accompanied by Haynes Nelms and H. T. Thaggard also of Groveton.

The securing of industrial enterprises for Bryan was discussed at the meeting this morning and the city development committee of which F. L. Cavitt is chairman, was instructed to name from the personnel of that committee a special committee to investigate industries that might be interested in coming to Bryan and make report at a future date of their findings.

E. E. Yeager, of the trade extension committee reported that road signs pointing to Bryan are being placed along all roads and highways in Bryan's trade territory.

City Manager J. Bryan Miller was present and presented plans for fire prevention and clean-up week to begin Monday, April 22, and also reported on the meeting held by the fire prevention committee with the firemen on Monday night. Details of the campaign which is to be educational in nature and which is to be supplemented by active clearance of rubbish and other fire and sanitary hazards, were briefly outlined by Miller at this time.

Oak McKenzie chairman of the entertainment committee, reported that representatives of the U. S. Army rating board will be in Bryan Sunday and Monday, April 21 and 22. The cadet corps at Allen Academy will be subjected to inspection by the visitors on Sunday afternoon, a part of which ceremony will be a military review which Bryan citizens are invited to witness. On Monday, a luncheon will be tendered the visitors, and a representative group of business men will be invited by the committee to attend this affair.

H. H. Williamson addressed the meeting on the question of tick eradication, and suggested that R. E. Smith, in charge of tick eradication work in Brazos county, be invited to appear in the directors meeting at some date in the near future. Williamson also spoke on the present production of milk in Brazos county.

Those attending the directors' meeting today were: Wilson Bradley, Travis B. Bryan, H. O. Ferguson, J. Webb Howell, John M. Lawrence, W. L. McCulloch, J. Bryan Miller, Oak McKenzie, M. L. Parker, M. F. Vitopil, A. M. Waldrop, E. E. Yeager and H. H. Williamson.

Brazos County Gets Storm of Wind and Hail

Various sections of Brazos county were visited on Sunday night between 8 and 9 o'clock by a storm of wind, rain, and hail that wrought destruction to fruit and young growing crops with some damage to trees and houses. W. J. Vavra of Rock Prairie reports that



Ready to Grow!

WHEN you feed your chicks Purina Chick Startena expect them to live... expect 15 to 20% greater growth than ever before... expect them to reach maturity earlier... at a lower cost per chick.

Purina has the chemists and biological laboratory to test and prove what's good for chicks. Purina has the experimental farm to test Poultry Chows practically. Purina has the machinery to mix Poultry Chows uniformly. Purina has 35 years of feed manufacturing experience.

That's why we join more than 2,500 hatcheries in saying, "Start your chicks on Purina... keep them on Purina all the way through." They'll live... they'll grow... and lay early. Get your Purina today.



COLLINS & WICKS

NORTH MAIN ST.

PHONE 53

wind and rain there were severe and damaging but no hail to speak of.

Ollie Orr of Edge reports that heavy hail there destroyed much fruit and young crops. The hail extended as far south as Tabor according to reports from Lee Wilson, Jim Francis and F. M. Nichols; but both rain and hail were light doing very little damage.

Mrs. Fritz Rahneff of Kurten reports that both rain and hail were heavy in that section and that considerable damage resulted from last night's storm there.

While the wind in Bryan was strong for some ten minutes no rain or hail here and no damage has been reported.

Bryan's rainfall Saturday night registered but .52 inch making a total for last week something over four inches.

BAPTISM ADMINISTERED

During the Sunday services at the First Baptist church, eight went forward for membership, four by letter from other churches and four for baptism. At the close of the evening service the pastor administered the beautiful baptismal ordinance in the presence of the large congregation present.

STAR PARASITE REMOVER

Used as directed, will keep your chickens free of lice, mites, fleas, blue-bugs; healthier and producing more eggs or your money back.—Roman & Vick. (Adv.)

FOR SALE:—State certified Portorico sweet potato plants, about April 10th delivery. Price delivered \$2.50 per 1000, \$2.25 per 1000 in 3000 lots, \$2 per 1000 in 5000 lots or more. Cash with order. MOORE BROS., Navasota, Texas.

FOR SALE:—A fine young Jersey cow with heifer calf. J. J. PIPKIN.

Unintentional Suicide

Many people are slowly poisoning themselves just as surely as if they drank iodine every morning for breakfast. They are daily absorbing the toxins of poisons, created by accumulated waste matter in their constipated digestive systems. Sooner or later disease will conquer their weakened bodies.

If you have dizzy spells, headache, coated tongue, bad breath, insomnia, no appetite, bilious attacks or pains in the back and limbs, you are probably suffering from self poisoning caused by constipation. The surest and pleasantest relief for this condition is Herbs, the vegetable cathartic which acts in the natural way. Get a bottle today from ROMAN & VICK

LOW FARE EXCURSIONS Houston \$2 Round Trip

WACO vs. HOUSTON, APRIL 21

Tickets will be on sale for trains arriving Houston prior to 2:00 p. m., April 21. Returning, limited to leave Houston prior to midnight, April 21.

Galveston \$4.05 Round Trip INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION APRIL 19-21

Tickets to Texas Independence Day Celebration will be on sale for night trains April 19, all trains April 20, and for trains arriving Galveston prior to noon April 21. Returning, limited to leave Galveston April 22.

Tickets - Information Missouri Pacific Lines "A Service Institution"

TICKET AGENT

Missouri Pacific Lines "A Service Institution"

Permanent Waves Special for 10 Days \$5

I will book you for "Eugene" or "Frederick" wave at above price.

I have pleased others—why not you? Note the address:

Madame Jean

2721 Oak Grove Ave., N. W. Corner from Bryan Hospital. Phone 553

MORE THAN—

(Continued from page 1)
 Showing over the district and reports are out that at least three of the East Texas will be after the convention for 1930. Port Arthur has been in the running without opposition to date but it now is rumored that Marshall will make a strong bid for the meeting and that Paris also will get into the race.

The Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce received a letter from the Brenham Chamber of Commerce stating that they were making plans for Washington county to come en masse to the convention on Monday, May 6, and that they are planning to bring a band and pull a big parade on arrival.

Port Arthur Delegation
 Port Arthur business men are planning to send up a big delegation with several bands and tickets for a special train will be placed on sale there within the next day or two. They also will have the support of Beaumont in this effort, it is reported there.

Work on the physical side of the pageant is progressing rapidly. Director Vosper is building up his background, made from paper-mache and plaster and is developing much beauty of line and color in these, according to reports made last night.

Present at the meeting was Edward Callahan, assistant general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific lines, who discussed the matter of a shuttle train between Bryan and College during the convention to assure speedy and adequate transportation for the thousands of visitors who are expected to attend the convention.

UNIQUE—

(Continued from page 1)
 Miss Wilson. "Today those 30,000,000 people have a chance for liberty for the first time in 150 years. If the world shall lose the American type of man, the world will have lost the most precious thing ever given it. We hear the expression 'Lions International,' 'Rotary International.' That word 'international' means that we are to take the spirit of the American type of man and let it percolate the world. When that has been accomplished there will be an American brotherhood the world over and we will send war to hell, from whence it came."

In concluding his lecture, Dr. Dutton announced the subjects of his lectures for the remainder of his week's engagement in Bryan, which will be closed on next Sunday night with the subject "The Man of Tomorrow." This lecture was given in Bryan by the speaker twice before on the platform of a chautauqua tent.

Mrs. George Long delighted those present with several vocal solos, playing her own accompaniment at the piano. Mrs. Long has appeared before the club on several occasions and needed no introduction, but was presented in an enthusiastic manner by Dr. M. L. Jones.

President Henry S. Locke announced the appointment of Lion M. F. Vitopil, to succeed himself, on the city park board. The park board is composed of persons appointed by various civic organizations.

The latest addition to the club roster is Ben H. Noel, local manager of the Southwest Telephone Company. Mr. Noel was present Tuesday for the first time and was formally presented to the club by President Locke.

Lion Jno. M. Lawrence Jr. presented his guests, Harry Estill, Sam C. Hoyle Jr., and Rotarian H. C. Fulgham.

Those in attendance were: W. S. Howell, Ben H. Noel, C. L. Curlee, W. E. Leverkahn, Joe Kaplan, M. Schulman, Harry Estill, Sam C. Hoyle Jr., Jno. M. Lawrence Jr., H. C. Fulgham, W. E. Paulson, Bill Wimberly, R. V. Armstrong, M. M. Erskine, Noah W. Damsby, Lamar Jones, Mat Vitopil, J. Coulter Smith, C. C. Redding, A. S. Ware, F. D. Fuller, Dean C. Dutton, Harry L. Durham, J. Bryan Miller, Henry Locke, Mrs. George Long, Mrs. Roy Danforth and R. C. Franks.

HOPELESS—

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 crowd gathered in the courtroom to hear the judge give his instructions.

The district judge indicated that the trial probably would not be reached until the fourth week in this term, which started yesterday.

The charge of robbery with firearms was filed against the four men after officers were told that they had commandeered an automobile to make their getaway. Hill carried a pistol, it was said.

Silver, at Houston last night arrived at the grim, gray prison here today in the custody of two state rangers. He managed to smile as the warden greeted him with a "hello Bob."

Warden E. F. Harrell then placed him in solitary confinement and said he would keep the convict there as punishment for from thirty to sixty days.

CHARGED WITH GAMING
 Eight negroes are charged in Justice J. T. McGee's court with enjoying themselves playing African pool and will learn Friday morning just how much this form of recreation costs them, when called to the attention of the peace officers of the community.

Revival Services Close at College Avenue Church

The revival meeting that has been in progress for the past two weeks at the College Avenue Baptist church closed last night. The meetings resulted in 21 additions to the church with several more yet to come. In addition the church was greatly uplifted and benefited spiritually according to Rev. Roy S. Hollomon, the pastor. Last night the ordinance of baptism was administered to a group of candidates. Among those baptized was an ex-Confederate soldier nearly 80 years of age. This man is probably the oldest man ever baptized in Bryan. Baptismal services will also be held at the conclusion of services next Sunday night.

Beauty of Macon To Be Princess For Franklin Co.

Miss Boerne Lokey of Macon, who will be the princess from Franklin county in the pageant to be given at A. & M. College Monday, May 6, will be known as Miss Elberta.

Miss Lokey is an alumna of C. I. A. and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lokey and is one of the most beautiful and popular girls of that section of the state.

Miss Edith Jane Thompson has been chosen to be princess from Port Arthur in the pageant to be given at A. & M. College for the East Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting May 5, 6 and 7, it was announced today. Each day brings additional names of princesses, showing the growing interest in the annual affair.

"The Bad Man" to Be Given by Allen Players in Making

J. B. Burton, director of public speaking and dramatic art at Allen Academy, announces that rehearsals are in progress for "The Bad Man," which will be the last public performance to be given by Allen Players this season.

Burton states that his cast for production is one of the best he has ever headed, and that the production should measure up well in entertaining quality.

"The Bad Man" was written by Porter Emerson Browne, one of America's most popular playwrights and was given by students at West Point last year. It also enjoyed a long and successful run on Broadway in New York.

K. & S. Grocery in Formal Opening Saturday, April 20

While the formal opening will not be held until Saturday the K. & S. Grocery will be ready to serve its patrons from its new location tomorrow. This business which was founded not quite two years ago by two energetic and enterprising young citizens, Charlie Kosarek and W. A. Stansney, and its volume of business increased to a point where larger and more commodious quarters are necessary in order to meet the demands of their patronage.

The K. & S. Grocery is to share an entirely new and modernly equipped establishment with the K. & T. Meat Market which will be in charge of Albert Konecny and Anton Turek, men who have had long experience as market men and meat cutters.

Telephone orders will at all times be given careful attention and prompt delivery from both the grocery and market departments, while those who prefer to select their own are cordially invited to visit the store and choose for themselves from the complete and conveniently arranged stocks.

Staple groceries of highest quality, fresh fruits and vegetables and the best in home produced and packing-house meat products will be available at all times at the K. & S. Grocery and the K. & T. Market, both in the same building on North Main Street, after Wednesday.

CONVENTION COM.—

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 Music Study Club, Woman's Club, Reading Club, Campus Study Club, Extension Service Club, The Brazos County Federation of Women's Clubs, East Side Parent-Teacher Association, West Side Parent-Teacher Association, College Station Parent-Teacher Association, Junior Bridge Club, Embroidery Club, Alumni of Villa Maria Academy, Delphian Society, and College Army Bridge Club.

HOLMGREEN TO WACO
 E. N. Holmgreen, poultry specialist Extension Service A. and M. College, has been invited to speak at Waco Friday before the Chamber of Commerce where he will stress the important factors of housing, feeding and disease control.

CONVENTION—

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 is chairman of the publicity committee. The Examiner is grateful for the recognition shown by them.

"This is to let you know that I am planning to attend the Brazos County Breakfast for members of the press during the East Texas Chamber of Commerce convention," says Hon. Frank Baldwin, representative from McLennan county and editor of the Waco News-Tribune.

Bryan Burglars Continue to Work

Two homes in one community on Washington Street were visited by Bryan's daring prowler on Sunday night between the hours of 8 and 10. At David Reid's there was no one at home, and entrance was effected by breaking in a door that was securely locked. While the house was ransacked nothing of value has been found missing except a small amount of cash from a purse.

At the A. B. Syptak home near by, at about 9:30, the family had all retired except a lodger on the second floor and two young ladies who were sitting in the living room, when a negro observed by Mr. and Mrs. Syptak and thought to be a member of the household, approached the front door, entered the hall and upon seeing the young women in the living room, turned and ran from the premises.

Other residents in this section of the city feel sure that they saw this prowler on Sunday night but could not fix his identity due to the darkness and the fact that only fleeting glances of his face were possible.

Methodist Women Meet in Groups

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church met Monday afternoon in groups as follows:

Group No. 1 Meeting
 Group No. 1 met at the hospitable home of Mrs. P. H. Hensarling with nine members present and Mrs. Ralph Howell as leader. A very interesting Voice program was had, several of the members taking part. The topics discussed dealt with the youth of today and some fine points were brought out. This group has selected Mrs. Ralph Howell as chairman during the absence of Mrs. J. B. Priddy who is out of the city for several weeks. Part of the afternoon was spent discussing plans for putting on a "Pure Food Show and Merchants' Display" on April 25, 26 and 27. Group 2 came in for a short business session and assisting to perfect plans for the first day's program.

Group No. 2 Meeting
 Group No. 2 met Monday afternoon with Mrs. S. E. Eberstadt. Nine members were present: Mesdames Albert Hanneman, W. W. Solomon, Josie Lawrence, E. J. Jenkins, E. W. Crenshaw, S. E. Eberstadt, W. F. Gibbs, Miss Lillie Hall and Miss Sula Conn. Quite an interesting lesson was given from the Missionary Voice. The devotional topic "The fourth chapter of John and the topic for general discussion, "Mothers and Daughters," were ably directed in discussion by Mrs. Josie Lawrence the leader for the afternoon. In connection with this lesson Mrs. W. W. Solomon presented fifteen questions on the Methodist discipline which were very interestingly discussed by each member present.

DeMolays Install New Officers

At a regular meeting of Bryan Chapter Order of DeMolay, at the Masonic building on Saturday night the following officers were installed for the ensuing term:

Master counselor, Leslie Randolph; senior counselor, Bertley Clutter; junior counselor, Ervin McLeroy; senior deacon, Andrew Reid; junior deacon, Ray Gardner; senior steward, Luther Broadway; junior steward, Earl Wolliver; scribe, Reed McDonald; treasurer, Alfred Holcomb; sentinel, Pete Palasota; chaplain, Wesley Bentley; marshal, Albert Hanneman; standard bearer, Elton Holland; preceptors, Howard Hedges, Argil Czigan, Leonard Faulk, David Winterman, Douglas Wright, Johnnie Groesbeck and Andrew Austin.

This organization of young men between the ages of 16 and 21 years past will continue this commandery Knights Templar and H. E. Randolph has been acting in the capacity of advisor for several years past, will continue this connection for the coming year.

Both the East and West Side Parent-Teacher Associations received a bonus of \$10 for securing 30 or more visitors for the demonstration of Frigidaria and the "cold control" demonstration held at Griesser's Electric Shop on Tuesday. Mrs. J. R. Ball acted as chairman for the West Side and Mrs. C. A. Searcy for the East Side. More than 150 ladies visited the demonstration during the afternoon.

Bankers and Business Men Support Dairy Development in Mississippi And Tennessee to Point of Profit

By M. B. Oates

Dairying in Mississippi was started because of the boll weevil. Everybody was hurt. Something had to be done or the country would remain in a serious financial condition. In parts of Texas we have been hurt by the boll weevil just as bad as was Mississippi but we have continued trying to raise cotton and have not developed dairying or stock farming to much extent. In Mississippi dairying was started as a relief measure. The new regime gave relief and development continued. Now those sections have a dependable source of income which is building a permanent system of agriculture.

Some counties bought a lot of cows, some bought pure bred sires and improved their herds and this was followed by small creameries, cream stations, etc. The bankers and business men seeing their own plight got behind the dairy program in a united way and stayed behind it until some progress was made. The results were so encouraging to all concerned that they have continued to develop dairying.

Mississippi started with what she had, bought such cows as could be found and started dairying. Most of the dairy development there has been made by farmers who never before had handled cows. Financing was done by bankers who had never loaned money on dairy cows. Pasture and equipment for dairy cows was furnished by landlords who never before had permitted anyone to raise anything but cotton. Merchants who never before had sold goods except on time, basing their expectation of collection on a cotton crop, took a chance and backed up the dairy movement.

Bankers Boost Movement
 The success of dairying in Mississippi and Tennessee may be attributed almost entirely to the financial support given by the bankers and business men. It's continued development which has now reached large proportions and is still growing rapidly is due to the continued support of the business men and the unity of purpose and united cooperation of practically every business man with the farming and dairymen. They have not only started this new enterprise but they are still developing it. At four of the eight places we visited the local people keep a full time dairy expert employed to further develop dairying and assist those farmers now engaged in dairying. Follow up work has continued from the beginning of this new undertaking.

Mississippi has only one advantage over Texas; that is on pastures. At present the native pastures are better than ours. Bermuda, Carpet Grass and Lespedeza (Japan Clover) grow naturally in the valleys and branch bottoms, however, the area is not usually sufficient and often times the stand is irregular, and now Mississippi has started a pasture improvement campaign. We could do the same in Texas and provide adequate pastures for our dairy cows and thus increase greatly the profits from them.

Texas Cows Compare Well
 The cows in Mississippi are not as good as ours. The cows in Tennessee are better than ours. The prices paid over there are about the same as paid here in Texas. The farms are older and poorer. There is a larger portion of tenants and a far larger proportion of negroes, yet with all these handicaps Mississippi has developed a dairy business of \$18,000,000. It is not natural advantages in Mississippi which has brought all this development. We have just as many favorable conditions for dairy development here in Texas.

It was the determination of the business men of the towns to see that dairying was established that put it over in Mississippi. The success of the project has spurred them to greater activity. So they continue to follow up with pasture improvement, herd improvement, scrub sire eradication, home grown feeds, etc., which have resulted in more and larger milk plants.

The business men of these towns have been rewarded with a half million to a million dollars and even two million annually coming into the hands of their patrons and customers for dairy products. And this income is cash; twelve times a year. It is, therefore, no wonder they talk enthusiastically about dairying and continue to promote it's growth.

Tennessee had better soil, better pastures, fewer negroes and less cotton. Tennessee started dairying earlier than Mississippi and with some advantages over Mississippi has developed a larger dairy industry. However, her greatest development did not come until the invasion of the boll weevil. After that the story of progress is the same as that in Mississippi. Our story in Texas is different, but with the same viewpoint, the same determination and the same united support, we can soon make the same progress in dairy development.

Need Business Men
 After many years some of our Texas communities have started on a dairy program. Recently several small creameries have been opened in northwest Texas and they have done well but we have not developed a sentiment for cows sufficient to cause large development anywhere. At Marshall, in Ida Mae Sapps.

FIRST STATE HOME TO COST OVER \$100,000

Will Be 2-Story and Built of Indiana Limestone

CONTRACTS AWARDED Interior Plans Call For Beauty And Much Room

One of the finest bank buildings in Texas to be found in any city approaching the size of Bryan will be erected by the First State Bank and Trust Company, according to announcement by Vice-President W. S. Higgs and Cashier J. N. Dulaney. The new building, completely equipped, will cost about \$125,000.

The structure, which will be two stories and located on the site of the building recently demolished, will be Grecian in architectural design and of Indiana cut limestone with a Carthage stone base. The building will have a front of 38 1/2 feet on Main and Bryan and a frontage of 100 feet on 25th st. There will be entrances on all three streets and the Main and Bryan fronts will be identical in appearance.

The interior of the bank will be modern in every respect and will afford much room for expansion and for both officers and employees and customers. There will be six teller windows, a commodious safety deposit box section, built just back of the customers room, and a number of smaller rooms that will be available for the use of customers who wish to look over other papers and transact business of a private nature in the bank.

The interior will be finished in marble and stucco, while the fixtures will be of bronze, glass and American walnut. The interior will be well lighted. There will be seven large windows on the 25th street side and other windows in the Bryan and Main fronts.

On the north side of the building a mezzanine will be constructed and on this will be located the directors room and perhaps other offices for use by the officials of the bank.

The details of the vaults have been worked out and call for four separate vaults. From the point of security the new bank will be modern in every respect as the equipment is said by officials to be the best that can be obtained.

On the second floor of the new building there will be a cotton sales office and other offices that will be rented for private business and professional purposes. These will be modern in finish and equipment.

It is expected the building will be ready for occupancy in about five months. The contract calls for 115 working days and construction will be started as quickly as equipment can be shipped here.

The contract for the building was awarded to Henger and Chambers of Dallas; the electrical work will be done by C. E. Griesser; the vaults will be installed by the Diebold Safe and Lock Company of Canton, Ohio; the heating and plumbing equipment will be installed by Hill Brothers and Company of Waco. The contract for the fixtures has not yet been let.

Poultry Record And Calendar by A. & M. Expert

County Agent C. L. Beason is displaying a sample of the "year around" poultry calendar and record which has been designed and worked out by E. N. Holmgreen, poultry specialist with the Extension Service and which is being distributed through the offices of home demonstration and farm agents throughout Texas.

The calendar is printed on twelve substantial cards and is illustrated with photographs of approved poultry houses and poultry equipment. Each monthly card also carries reasonable suggestions on poultry raising and breeding. Daily records on egg production, mortality and sales by days is provided for and also a monthly summary of the above factors. On the reverse side of the pad is a chart for recording of receipts and expense by items.

Mr. Beason considers this calendar to be a simplified, logical and practical system of keeping daily records on poultry production. He says that any boy or girl can keep this record and with but a few moments each day jot down the numbers and figures that talk in the conduct of any business. It will show at the end of every day, week or month, just the progress of a poultry project. Off months and years may be checked for causes and results, and by the data which this calendar will yield at the end of each year, mistakes may be translated into experience to guide future programs more profitably.

Mrs. John M. Caldwell of this city is visiting in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Caldwell at San Antonio.

Profitable Utilization of 168,000,000 Acres of Land in Texas Is Greatest Problem Before People Says Connor

The most profitable utilization of the 168,000,000 acres of land in Texas is the greatest problem before its people, Dr. A. B. Connor, director of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, told the Dallas Agricultural Club Monday noon at its weekly luncheon at the Baker Hotel.

"The greater the problems which confront Texas agriculture the greater are our opportunities," said Dr. Connor. "The erratic rainfall which affects all the country west of the Mississippi river, the problems of soil erosion, cotton root rot, dairy farming, and cattle raising present a never-ending challenge to the genius of our scientists and our practical farmers."

"Much of the land now being planted to cotton should never be permitted to raise a stalk of cotton. The marginal cotton grower does not help himself at all and he merely adds to the cotton crop, which often brings about low prices for all concerned, whether efficient or inefficient producers. Cotton should be raised on land which will insure a reasonable profit."

Experimenting With Dates
 "I am quite certain that much of East Texas would be better off if left to grow up in forests. We are studying these problems at our various experiment stations and determining what is good and safe practice and what is not."

Dr. Connor stated that more than 1,000 date plants of different varieties have been received at the agricultural experiment station at Weslaco in the lower Rio Grande Valley for testing. He believes that Southwest Texas probably will see a flourishing date industry within the next few years.

Dr. Connor referred to the data carried on the agricultural business review page of The Dallas News last week, which for the first time made public the fact that 2,808,250 acres of land in Texas have been terraced. He recently was in Washington and the officials of the bureau of soils had no idea how much land was under terrace in Texas.

Selling Cattle Premature
 "Every year about 1,000,000 head of Texas cattle leave the state, either going to slaughter or to feed lots in Missouri, Kansas or other corn belt states," said Dr. Connor. "I am sure these Texas cattle are not finished like those reaching market from the centers of the corn belt, although Texas raises anywhere from 50,000,000 to 60,000,000 bushels of grain sorghums which could be fed to finish these cattle."

"Experiments at Spur also have shown that cotton can be made to increase its yield up to 90 per cent by using terraces to hold the seasonal rainfall. This is one of the greatest opportunities before Texas farmers and business men, landowners and bankers." — Dallas News.

Former Bryan Girl Takes Forced Ride With Bob Silver

Miss Loree Harrison, a student at Texas State Normal School at Huntsville, and who with her escort occupied the car in which Bob Silver and his three companions made their escape from the Wynne State prison farm last Sunday night, is a niece of Dr. R. B. Harrison of this city and graduated from Bryan high school in 1925. Miss Harrison told newspaper correspondents that throughout the entire thrilling ride from Huntsville to Houston, the fugitives treated her with utmost respect, one man chiding the other for using the word "damn" in her presence, and Silver insisting that she should be as considerably handled as though she were their own sister.

For quick results try an Eagle Want Ad.

Senator and Mrs. J. R. Astin, who are spending the spring months on their plantation home, "Shoreacres" on the Brazos, spent today in Bryan.

BIBLE CLASS 1ST BAPTIST AT BANQUET

MRS. A. J. BUCHANAN ACTS AS TOASTMISTRESS FOR OCCASION

The Friendship Bible Class banquet, held Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the basement of the First Baptist church, was an occasion of pleasure and profit for all present. The members of this class prepared and served the banquet, inviting their husbands to be their guests.

The tables were spread in snowy linen cloths and with an abundance of bright pink roses in silver baskets and the service of china and silver, the delicious three course banquet was prettily served.

Mrs. Albert Buchanan, teacher of the class, was the toastmistress and after the invocation by A. J. Buchanan, the following program was enjoyed:

Reading by little Beverly Ann Sparks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sparks.

Vocal solo, "The Swallows," Cowen, by Mrs. Dan Russell with Mrs. E. W. Glenn at the piano.

Reading, (a) and (b) numbers, by Mrs. Guy Harris with her sister, Mrs. Edgar Bullock of Houston at the piano.

Mrs. J. A. Orr, accompanied by Mrs. Glenn, gave a beautiful violin number after which Mrs. J. P. Dobyne gave a reading entitled "Bathing the Baby."

A duet, "Rose of My Heart," Lubbock, by Mrs. Dan Russell and Mrs. M. P. Holloman, accompanied by Mrs. Glenn was the next number. Mrs. Fred Hale gave a humorous reading, "The Squirt Gun" as the last number on this program.

The toastmistress then introduced a joke contest among the visiting husbands present which made lots of fun and added another pleasure to this delightful occasion. For the best joke told, Turner Wallace was awarded a huge basket of red roses with the request that he return the basket to the Friendship classroom.

The evening program closed with all standing and singing together one verse of "Bless Be the Tie That Binds," after which the benediction was pronounced by the class teacher.

Those present were: Mrs. Fred Hale, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sparks, Mrs. Dan Russell, Mrs. and Mrs. A. J. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ford, Marie Graham, Mrs. Velma Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Turner Wallace, M. P. Holloman Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Parker Carroll, E. H. Gibbons, Mrs. Guy Harris, Mrs. Edgar Bullock, Mrs. Mildred Allen, Mrs. Betty Ross, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Stansney, Mrs. M. P. Holloman, Mrs. J. A. Orr, Mrs. E. W. Glenn, Mrs. E. H. Gibbons, Mrs. I. H. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dobyne, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling C. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wheeler, Mrs. Harvey Fender, Mrs. A. Hutchins, Mrs. Allen Carson, Mrs. H. P. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Haltom, Mrs. W. C. Rea, Mrs. Drummond Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Sandifer, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pressley, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Horlacher, Mrs. John W. Loving, Mrs. C. L. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Franks, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rohde.

BRAZOS COUNTY GINNINGS
 Cotton of the 1928 crop in Brazos county, ginned to date, totals 26,426 bales, according to government reports. This compares with 20,763 bales ginned up to the same date from the crop of 1927.

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